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**COMMERCIAL.**

**CLOSING QUOTATIONS**  
TUESDAY, 30th  
**EXCHANGE.**

**ON LONDON.**  
Telegraphic Transfer .....  
Bank Bills, on demand .....  
Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight.....  
Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight.....  
Credits, at 4 months' sight.....  
Documentary Bills, 4 months' sight.....

**ON PARIS.**  
Bank Bills, on demand .....  
Credits, at 4 months' sight.....

**ON GERMANY.**  
On demand.....

**ON NEW YORK.**  
Bank Bills, on demand .....  
Credits, 60 days' sight.....

**ON BOMBAY.**.....

Bank, on demand .....  
ON CALCUTTA, —

Telegraphic Transfer  
Bank, on demand  
ON SHANGHAI—  
Bank, at sight  
Private, 30 days' sight  
ON YOKOHAMA—  
On demand  
ON MANILA—  
On demand  
ON SINGAPORE—  
On demand  
SOVEREIGNS, Bank's Buying Rate  
GOLD LEAF, 100 fine, per two  
JOINT STOCK SHARE  
COMPANY.  
BANKERS

Hongkong & S'hai...	\$125	203 pr.
China & Japan. prof.	£8	nominal

Do.	Ordinary	£4	seventeen
Do.	do deferred	£4	15 s. 8d.
Nat. Bank of China		£2	-17
S. S. Steamship Co.		£1	-17
Penn. Shares		£1	seventeen
Bell's Atlantic E. A.		£1	seventeen
Campbell, Moore & Co.		£10	8
China Prov. L. & M.		£9	\$45, 165
China Sugar		\$100	\$165, ex
China Tea			
Evo.	Tia.	£0	90
Hongkong		£0	\$45; 90
International	Tia.	£0	119
Lao Kung Mow	Tia.	£0	87
Boychee	Tia.	£0	70
Yalooing	Tia.	£0	52
Dairy Farm			
Fenwick & Co., Gen.		\$26	\$24, 4
Green Island Cane		\$20	\$24, 4
Do New Issue		\$5	17, 165
H. & O. Bakery		\$66	58

Hongkong & C. Gas ...	£10	8125
Hongkong Electric ...	\$10	81, sal.
H. H. L. Tramways ...	\$100	8110

Hongkong Hotel	\$50	53, sel
Hongkong Ice	\$25	106, ex
H. & K. Wharf & Co.	\$50	69, luv
Hongkong Rope	\$50	162, luv
Hotel Book	\$125	248, luv
Insurance		\$428, 77
Canton	\$50	150, luv
China Fire	\$20	9, sel
China Traders	\$25	68, luv
Hongkong Fire	\$50	330, sel
North China	\$25	114, 180, sel
State	\$50	120, sel
Union	\$50	69, sel
Yankee	\$50	119, sel
Land and Buildings		
Hongkong Land Inv.	\$50	587, sel
Hongkong Estate	\$10	52, 50, sel
Kowloon Land	\$50	177, sel
West Point Building	\$40	240, sel
Luzon Sugar	\$100	540, luv
Mining		

Charbonnages	.....	Feb. 500	\$100, so
Gt. Estn. & C'donian		\$5	\$4.10, 5

Jebebu .....	\$5	14.75
New Bolmoral .....	\$1	untested

Do. Preferees	\$1 25	cts.
Oliver's Mines. A.	\$5	\$6, sold
Do. B.	\$2	\$3.45, do
Punjom	\$5	\$5.4, sold
Do. Preferees	\$1	\$1.50, do
Rams	145	\$39, sold
New Amoy	\$6	\$4
Steamship Corp.		
China and Manila	\$50	\$80, sold
China Mutual Ord.	\$10	\$20, 10c.
Do. Preferees	\$20	\$25, 10c.
Do. B.	\$5	\$5, 10c.
Delong's Steamship	\$50	\$48, sold
H. Canton and M.		
Indo-China R. N.		
Shanghai		
Tientsin Peking Co.		
United Asbestos		
Do.		
Wanchai Warehouse	\$375	\$411

J. V. Y. VERNON,

Malwa New... \$840. to \$850 p. pl, ne

Malwa Old	.....	2880	10	2890	5
Malwa Other	.....	2970	10	2980	5
Peonias Only	.....	3000	10	3010	5
Do. Paper-wrapped	.....	3000	10	3010	5
Patna New	.....	3570	10	3580	5
Patna Old	.....	3570	10	3580	5
Bengans New	.....	3740	10	3750	5
Bengans Old	.....	3750	10	3760	5

per chest.

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## THE WEATHER.

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER, 29th AUGUST, at 7.

STATION.	Barometer Reduced to sea level.	Thermom. Dry bulb.	Thermom. Wet bulb.	Humidity.	Direction of Wind.	Force.	State of Sky.
Vladivostok.	29.90	71	66	71	Drizzle.	10	Cloudy.
Yokohama.	29.90	71	66	71	Drizzle.	10	Cloudy.

Kochi	29.83	—	—	SE
Nagasaki	29.75	—	—	NE

Kagoshima ...	29.79	—	—	E
Gutzlaff .....	29.79	82	83	ENE

Sharp Peak .....	23.41	80	16	ENR	3	3
Amoy .....	23.41	82	87	WNR	3	3
Swatow .....	23.65	81	77	WNR	3	3
Hongkong .....	23.63	88	67	WNR	3	3
Victoria Peak .....				W	4	4
Gap Road .....	23.64			WNR	3	3
Maemo .....	23.65	85		W	1	1
Hai Phong .....						
Cape St. James .....				BW	6	6

30th AUGUST, AT 10 A.M.

Vindivostock .....						
Tokyo .....						
Kochi .....						
Nagasaki .....						
Kagoshima .....						
Guitiafi .....	23.75	87	91	NR	8	8
Sharp Peak .....	23.60	78	82	NV	3	3

Amoy	29.45	81	88	W
Swatow	30.88	86	—	WNV
Penang	29.75	86	80	W

Canton .....	29.79	80	80	SE
Hongkong ...	29.79	87	74	W
Victoria Peak	—	—	—	W

Gap Rock .....	29.73		W	4
Macao .....	29.74	80	WSW	1
Halphong .....	29.75	70	60	1
Dare A. James .....			SW	6

On the 20th at 5.10 p.m.: The centre of the typhoon entered the South of French Coast. On the 21st at 10.30 a.m. the typhoon had fallen in SE part of the French Coast, except at Amoy. Two vessels, the *Amoy* and *Chang* were reported to have been wrecked. The observations indicate that the typhoon is now in the NE of Hongkong, moving NE, reverberated by the land. The wind is now in the NW. The reports "wind turtle" is not realising. Forecast: W. winds; fair.

HONGKONG REGISTER		
	Previous day 4 p.m.	On date at 10 a.m.
Barometer .....	22.63	22.73
Temperature .....	82	82
Humidity .....	68	74
Direction of wind .....	WSW	W
Force of wind .....	5	5
Weather .....	0	0

Highest open air temperature on the 20th  
Lowest open air temperature on the 20th

F. G. FIGG, Acting  
Hongkong Observatory, 30th August

**MEANS, RALPH & Co's BREWERY.**  
 BAROMETRICAL 29.72 Therm. 91 A.M. (W)  
 BAROMETRICAL 1 P.M. 29.70 Therm. 1 P.M. (W)  
 BAROMETRICAL 4 P.M. 29.60 Therm. 4 P.M. (W)  
 THERMOM. 9 A.M. 66 Therm. Maximum  
 THERMOM. 1 P.M. 59 Therm. Minimum  
 THERMOM. 4 P.M. 68

**HONGKONG TIDE TABLE.**  
 31st August to 6th September.

		High Water.		Low Water.	
Day of Month.	Hour.	Hong Kong Mean Time.	Height.	Hong Kong Mean Time.	Height.
Wed.	31	h m	f. in.	m	ft. in.
		10 52	3 9	5 34	3 4
Thurs.	1	10 59	3 4	5 34	3 4
		11 11	3 4	5 34	3 4
Fri.	2	11 11	4 1	5 31	3 7
Sat.	3	11 51	3 19	5 4	3 7
Sun.	4	12 11	3 19	5 4	3 7
Mon.	5	12 51	3 19	5 4	3 7
Tues.	6	1 11	3 19	5 4	3 7

Sub.	4	10	87	4	1	35
		11	48	3	0	04
		12	92	4	3	2

Mon.	5	0	32	5	0	34	5	14
Tues	6	11	50	4	13	55	5	27

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